

Senate Bill 338

Fictitious Firm Name Changes Effective October 1, 2005

Sec. 67. NRS 602.017 is hereby amended to read as follows:

602.017 1. No person may adopt any fictitious name which includes "Corporation," "Corp.," "Incorporated," or "Inc." in its title, unless that person is a corporation organized or qualified to do business pursuant to the laws of this State.

2. No person may adopt any fictitious name which includes "Limited-Liability Company," "Limited Liability Company," "Limited Company," or the abbreviations "L.L.C.," "L.C.," "LLC" or "LC" in its title, unless that person is a limited-liability company organized or registered to do business pursuant to the laws of this State.

3. No person may adopt any fictitious name which includes "Business Trust" or the abbreviation "B.T." or "BT" in its title unless that person is a business trust organized or registered to do business pursuant to the laws of this State.

4. No person may adopt any fictitious name which includes "Professional Corporation" or the abbreviation "Prof. Corp.," "P.C." or "PC," the word "Chartered" or the abbreviation "Chtd.," in its title unless that person is a professional corporation organized to do business pursuant to the laws of this State.

5. No person may adopt any fictitious name which includes "Professional Association," "Professional Organization" or the abbreviations "Prof. Ass'n" or "Prof. Org." in its title unless that person is a professional association organized to do business pursuant to the laws of this State.

6. No person may adopt any fictitious name which includes "Limited" or the abbreviation "Ltd.," in its title unless the person is a corporation, limited-liability company, registered limited liability partnership, limited partnership or professional corporation organized, qualified or registered to do business pursuant to the laws of this State.

7. No natural person may adopt any fictitious name which appears to be the name of a natural person unless the name includes an additional word or words which indicate that the fictitious name is not the name of a natural person.

8. No county clerk may accept for filing a certificate which violates any provision of this chapter.